

They'll Honeymoon Yearly To Avoid Divorce Courts

A DEBUTANTE'S DAILY LETTER

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Sue, dear:—

Charles A. Van Rensselaer the Younger has the right idea.

He's going to see that all the romance doesn't get knocked out of marriage the first few years.

He's going to see that he and the one-time Adele Brookfield don't slump into that I-don't-care attitude that is the surest way to get a trip to Paris.

Every year, at just about the time that they pooled their family fortunes year before last, he and Adele are going off on a honeymoon. They just got back from the first of the series last week, came up from Bermuda on the Fort St. George just in time to get in on the first nice life-sized cold wave that we've had.

Found Lots of Romance

They've had a grand time down there, moonlight bathing and bicycle riding and all the delightfully romantic stuff that the British have kept on their Southern isle that doesn't boast a single solitary automobile.

Mrs. George Roosevelt has been down there, too, with a gang of three women, and they all came back on the famous honeymoon boat that belongs to Thelma Morgan Converse's Lord Furness.

Mrs. David Wells of Spring Harbor, Mrs. Anne Johnson of Rumson, Mrs. Margaret Delehanty of Locust Valley were Mrs. Roose-

velt's companions in arms, and kept up with her as she toured the island on her trusty bike. The four horsewomen usually did around sixteen or twenty miles of heavy pedaling a day.

Keep in Trim, Too

Which ought to keep them in fairly good trim for the heavy winter of social life ahead of them.

Speaking of the high seas, Augusta de Peyster and a bunch of other women are going to "The Judge's Husband" tonight for the benefit of the Seaman's Church Institute.

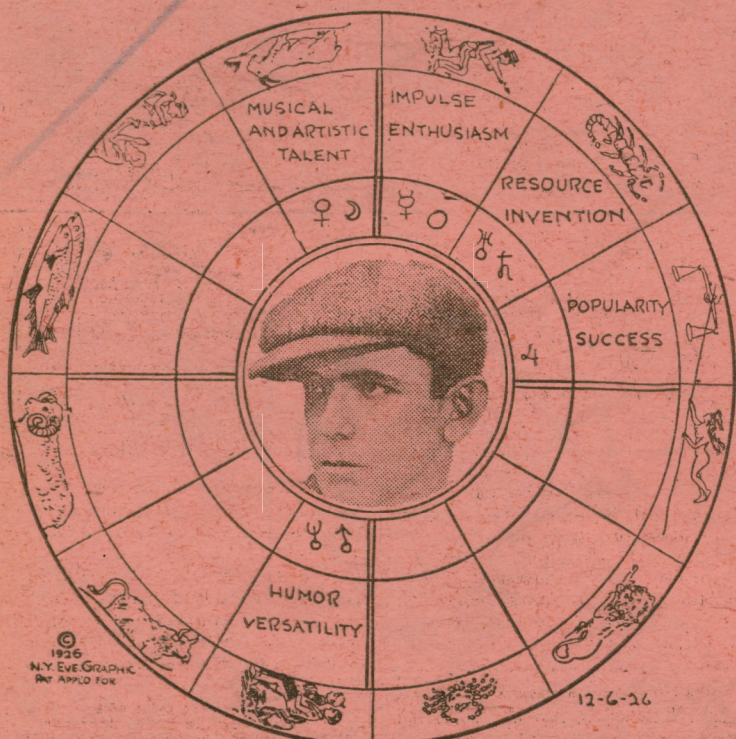
Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt is one of the patronesses, so is Mrs. Marshall Field, Mrs. E. H. Harriman, Mrs. William J. Schieffelin, Mrs. John Roebing, Mrs. Samuel Thorne, Mrs. Edmund L. Baylies and Mrs. Henry Parish.

Betty Peterson

Your Birthday

by STELLA

DECEMBER 6



EDDIE DOWLING

Eddie Dowling, popular and versatile comedian, now starring in "Honeymoon Lane," at the Knickerbocker Theater, celebrates his birthday today, and is therefore under the rule of impulsive, enthusiastic Sagittarius. At the hour of his birth Jupiter, his star of destiny, was in Libra and promised him both success and popularity. Uranus and Saturn were close together in the forceful Scorpio, and, by combining their powerful vibrations, gave him humor, originality, invention, strategy and resourcefulness. Mars and Neptune, together in the versatile Gemini, sharpened his wits, intensified his sense of humor and added to the musical and artistic talent shown by the presence of the Moon with Venus in the sign of Capricorn. In many ways this is an unusual horoscope, just as the popular Eddie himself is a unique character.

The majority of Sagittarians are law-abiding, because Jupiter, ruler

of their destiny, is the planet of Law and Order. Yet there is always a positive and a negative side; consequently, there are both swindlers and hypocrites born under this influence. It is as though the importance of law and order must be forced upon them, perhaps through their own actions, if they have not yet learned to respect it. In marriage—perhaps because of his law-abiding nature—the Sagittarian is usually happy and contented. If you were born about this time you will find yourself most in sympathy with those born under one of the Fire signs—Aries, Leo or your own sign, Sagittarius. Restless, active Aries rules those born between March 21 and April 20; Leo rules from July 22 to August 21, and Sagittarius, as you know, from November 22 to December 20. All those born under these signs are inclined to be impulsive, enthusiastic, energetic and independent.

Fatherless Family In Want, Suffering

By CHARITY SMYTHE

Charity Smythe wants to help those who are trying to help themselves. Perhaps you have some clothing you have outgrown. Let Charity Smythe know about it. She can always find some worthy soul to make use of it. DO NOT SEND IT TO THE GRAPHIC. WRITE FOR THE ADDRESS OF A FAMILY AND SEND THE PACKAGE DIRECT. Perhaps a bit of unexpected happiness has come your way, and you would like to share your joy with some one else. Send a contribution to one of the cases listed below. You can always be sure your bit will go toward helping some worthy family. Send all contributions to Charity Smythe, in care of The GRAPHIC, 25 City Hall Place, New York city. Mark plainly on outside of envelope for whom your communication is intended.

Among unfortunate families occasionally there is one particularly pathetic, which stands out from the rest. The Moss family is one of these.

The father, a longshoreman, was sick for almost nine months, and then died.

Mrs. Moss is a small woman, extremely thin and weak, and can-



The Low Down

By the Earl of Gramercy

Duke Revels as Girl He Betrayed Fights to Stay With Babe in U. S.

Ellis Island will be getting out its Burke's Peerage shortly.

Titles are the best little things that they have over on their exclusive bit of the bay.

Of course, they can't ever hope to have another who will bring them quite the fame of the Countess of Cathcart. That is to be expected.

Another in Trouble

But every now and then some one with antecedents and handles comes tripping in on a boat and gets tripped up by the immigration authorities. Or perhaps, the titled one is merely being thrown out, gently but firmly, from your land of liberty and freedom for all.

There's one youngster over there now, a girl of about 3, who is supposed to be, according to her mother's testimony before the immigration inspectors, the daughter of one of the reigning dukes of my native Britain.

But her mother isn't exactly the owner of a title.

Was Maid in England

Most of her years have been spent as what in England is known as a domestic and the daughter of the duke over there in Ellis Island can take her choice as to whether she'll be of the proletariat or of the aristocracy.

This mother of a duke's daughter is good-looking, but beauty is wasted on Ellis Island, as my dear friend Vera discovered some ten months ago.

Her story is one of those tragedies which I had thought had gone out of fashion long ago—the defenseless maid at the mercy of the pampered member of society. The man with a title thinking that he could take whatever he wanted.

Over in London Akolina Koel was working as maid in the menage of Mrs. Ida M. French.

Meets Duke at Party

Mrs. French gave a brilliant party at one of the fashionable hotels near the embankment. It was one of those parties, perfectly legal anywhere outside this forsaken land of yours.

At a hearing before the immigration authorities on November 4, the maid, who is no longer in Mrs. French's employ, testified that she was betrayed by a well-known duke at the party and that he now is the father of her child. The duke's name appears in the testimony, but I refrain from mentioning it out of deference to Mrs. French, who is a woman of noble character and who was in no way responsible for the maid's actions.

Some time after the maid was brought to the United States the child was born. Miss Koel testified that the baby was born on February 18, 1923, at the New York Infirmary, on 15th Street and 2d Avenue. The child was named Alexandra.

Life Hard Here

Life in America was not easy for Akolina Koel. She lost her job because she had been giving some sort of information over the telephone to some friend of her mistress. Now she is being held at Ellis Island because of difficulties she had with the people from whom she purchased a house over at Bonhampton, N. J., a suburb of Metuchen.

In three months more, she says she will become a mother again, but this time the father is not a Duke, but a man from near Trenton, N. J.

And the Duke continues to grace the drawing rooms of dear old London.

CYCLIST HELD

A charge of manslaughter has been lodged by police against Christian C. Ulrich, 19, of 127 Speedway Ave., Irvington, N. J., whose motorcycle caused the death of an Irvington man last Thursday night.

DON'T DROP HALL-MILLS CASE, SOLVE IT, DR. STRATON URGES

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case, have not been altogether in vain.

Now, as we look back upon it, what a case it has been! It has swept the whole gamut of human passions; it has involved in miniature all of the social, political and religious values, and it has touched the entire circle of human interests at every point.

Its dramatic qualities have been unequalled, and beyond any question it has stirred a wider interest and won for itself a larger publicity than any law case in the annals of the human race.

It has been a case so full of color and involving such various and sharply contrasted personalities that bitter partisanship and profound feeling were alike inevitable in connection with it.

As the case rounded out to its close and reached the final climax, the impression of the value and glory of the legal profession forced itself home to the thoughtful observer. The case demonstrated that the "old-fashioned" lawyer and "old-fashioned" methods are at last the greatest and most effective; certainly where courts are dealing with vital human values.

The close of the case also demonstrated that the new "salesman type" of public speaking is pitifully futile and inefficient when large interests and passions that reach down to the depths of the human soul are involved.

The old-fashioned school of oratory which knows how to "turn loose" and "cut loose," and which is capable of soaring to heights of real eloquence or touching the deeper and finer heart strings of men, is by no means out of date.

Certainly the court, the attorneys and all other officers of the law connected with the case deserve commendation and praise for their courage, fidelity and tremendously hard work.

But, surely, one other word should be said. This case certainly cannot be dropped where it now is! If it is dropped, it will do an enormous damage. If foul murder can be committed in a location where many people were around, and involving so much, without any solution of the problem of who committed the crime, and without any punishment of the guilty, then the efficiency of American criminal procedure, already staggering under the heavy burden of obvious inefficiency, will receive another tremendous blow.

Criminals of all sorts will be encouraged in the belief that they can do anything, even including murder, and "get away with it." The result will be, beyond any question, a widening and deepening of the present appalling wave of crime that is sweeping over America and endangering our dearest and most vital interests.

Just as the notorious miscar-

riage of full justice in the Leopold-Loeb case was followed by a carnival of crime and a holocaust of homicides in Chicago, so it will be in connection with this case.

The very volume of the publicity which the case has been given, therefore, instead of doing good, will be a contributing cause for further crime.

After all of the eloquence and sarcasm and political prejudice and caste spirit and contrasts between poverty and wealth, ignorance and culture, are over, the facts still stand that bloody murder has been done; that dark and terrible crimes have been committed, and certainly, with the unlimited resources, the skill and the power belonging today to those charged with the ferreting out of wrongdoers and the administration of the law, the guilty parties in this case ought to be discovered, convicted and punished. Somebody did those two people to death!

Jenny, the mule, did not kick them to death, as one jocularly suggested, and whoever did take these lives ought to be brought to book and adequately punished.

For, however much of extension may be thought of, either in the field of sentiment, chivalry or family pride, a gross and horrible violation of law has been perpetrated.

For the sake of all America, as well as for their own sake, Somerset county and the state of New Jersey owe it to themselves to go to the bottom of whatever perjuries may have been committed on either side in this case, and to continue a real and thoroughgoing investigation until the guilty parties are discovered and "Jersey Justice" is vindicated!

Record Gale Sinks 40 Fishing Boats

ANCONA, ITALY, Dec. 6 (By U. P.).—Forty fishing boats sank in the Adriatic just outside Torette, and the steamships Elettrico and Vespucci, bound from Ancona to Fiume, have not been heard from for twenty-four hours, as a result of one of the worst gales in history.

Huge waves tore out a section of the railroad tracks of the North Ancona Railroad between Falconara and Ancona.

REV. DR. BURRELL DIES

The Rev. Dr. David James Burrell, for the last thirty-five years pastor of the Marble Collegiate Reformed Church, 5th Avenue and 23rd Street, died last night in his home, at Madison, N. J. Dr. Burrell, who was former president of the Anti-Saloon League of New York, died sitting in an armchair. He was 83 years old. Death was attributed to his age.